

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/564,788
Applicant : HUMMEL et al.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 12, 2009, applicants elect original Group II (claims 125 and 126) for examination in the above-identified case.

Early and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited.

In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. Any fee for such an extension together with any additional fees that may be due with respect to this paper, may be charged to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 02-2135.

Respectfully submitted,

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